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SEP 17 2013

Anne Mariah Tapp
Grand Canyon Trust
2601 N. Fort Valley Rd.
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Re: FOIA Request: EPA-R8- 2013-009211

Dear Ms. Tapp:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act request of August 16, 2013, regarding the White Mesa Uranium Mill.

Enclosed you will find a compact disc containing copies of some of the documents responsive to your request. Conference call-in numbers and codes have been redacted. Additional materials are publicly available at:

<http://www.epa.gov/radiation/docs/neshaps/subpart-w/uranium-denison-test.pdf>

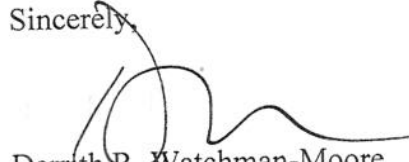
<http://www.epa.gov/radiation/docs/neshaps/subpart-w/denisonresponsetosection114letter.pdf>

We are unable to provide you with a portion of documents. Thirteen documents have been determined to be exempt from mandatory disclosure by virtue of 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(5) – Deliberative Process Privilege. These documents are internal emails and contain predecisional and deliberative information between EPA Region 8 and EPA headquarters employees.

Under the FOIA, you have the right to appeal this determination to the National Freedom of Information Office, U.S. EPA, FOIA and Privacy Branch, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2822T), Washington, DC 20460 (U.S. Postal Service Only), E-mail: FOIA_HQ@epa.gov. Only items mailed through the United States Postal Service may be delivered to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. If you are submitting your appeal via hand delivery, courier service or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room 6416J, Washington, DC 20004. Your appeal must be made in writing, and it must be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 30 calendar day limit. The appeal letter should include the FOI number listed above. For quickest possible handling, the appeal letter and its envelope should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed information, please contact Dr. Angelique Diaz at 303-312-6344.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Derrith R. Watchman-Moore', with a stylized, flowing script.

Derrith R. Watchman-Moore
Assistant Regional Administrator
Office of Partnerships and Regulatory Assistance

Enclosure